

Claims

- [c1] 1. A recording medium drive comprising:
- a base;
 - a cover received on a receiving surface of the base and defining an inner space between the base and the cover itself;
 - a fastening mechanism coupling the cover to the receiving surface of the base; and
 - an elastic member continuously surrounding an occupied space of the fastening mechanism between the receiving surface of the base and the cover.
- [c2] 2. The recording medium drive according to claim 1, wherein said fastening mechanism comprises:
- a depression formed in the cover;
 - a through bore formed in the cover within the depression; and
 - a fastening member received in the depression and penetrating into the through bore.
- [c3] 3. The recording medium drive according to claim 1, further comprising a packing interposed between the receiving surface of the base and the cover so as to continuously surround said inner space.

- [c4] 4. The recording medium drive according to claim 3, wherein the elastic member and the packing are an integral member.
- [c5] 5. The recording medium drive according to claim 4, wherein the elastic member and the packing are adhered to the cover.
- [c6] 6. The recording medium drive according to claim 1, wherein the packing defines:
an inside contour described along a contour of the inner space; and
an outside contour described corresponding to the inside contour line.
- [c7] 7. A packing member for a recording medium drive, comprising:
a packing interposed between a base and a cover of the recording medium drive and continuously surrounding an inner space defined between the base and the cover; and
an elastic member interposed between the base and the cover and continuously surrounding an occupied space of a fastening mechanism, said fastening mechanism coupling the cover to the base.
- [c8] 8. A cover unit for a recording medium drive, compris-

ing:

a cover;

a through bore formed in the cover and receiving a pre-determined fastening member; and

an elastic member adhered to the cover and continuously surrounding the through bore.

- [c9] 9. The cover unit according to claim 8, further comprising: a packing being integral to the elastic member and adhered to the cover, said packing continuously extending all around an outer periphery of the cover.